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SUBJ: TOYOMENKA/SANTA FE USE OF SS AMERICAN DELTA

FOR NEA/ARP

1. JOHN H. SUTHERLAND OF SEISCOM DELTA INCORPORATED VISITED EMBASSY 6/18 REQUESTING FOLLOWING BE PASSED TO EDMUND PENDLETON. FYI. SUTHERLAND IS SEISCOM MARINE ADMINISTRATOR CURRENTLY SERVING ON SEISMIC SURVEY SHIP SS AMERICAN DELTA WHICH IS COMPLETING UNDERWATER SOUNDINGS FOR SHELL OIL. END FYI.

2. SUTHERLAND HAS HEARD THAT SEISCOM DELTA MADE INQUIRY TO SANTA FE CONCERNING POSSIBLE USE OF AMERICAN DELTA FOR FORTH-COMING SEISMIC SURVEY OF TOYOMENKA/SANTA FE OFFSHORE CONCESSION AREA. IT NOW COMPLETING SIMILAR STUDY FOR SHELL WELL AHEAD OFSCHEDULE AND ABLE TO UNDERTAKE THIS TASK IF ACCORD REACHED BETWEEN THE TWO COMPANIES. SUTHERLAND NOTED SANTA FE INITIALLY INTENDED USE WESTERN GEOPHYSICAL FOR SEISMIC OPERATIONS AND THAT THIS COMPANY NOW BEHIND SCHEDULE. SEISCOM BOARD CHAIRMAN CROWE CURRENTLY AT HOUSTON HEADQUARTERS. SUTHERLAND REQUESTS RESPONSE BE FORWARDED THROUGH EMBASSY CHANNELS AS CURRENT POLITICAL SITUATION MAKES COMMERCIAL CABLE CONTACT DIFFICULT.
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